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Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dewitt
and Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Dewitt, one

from Town Centre and the other

from Valley Mills, arrived here

with their car of effects this week,

and have taken up farms within

three miles of town.

Mechanics! Attention!
MECHANICS TOOLS
OF ALL KINDS — The
Best Grade, Guaranteed
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Strathmore Hardware Coy.
(The Mechanic's Store)

LOCAL JOTTINGS

At the request of a number of Local Business men in this town it is proposed to form an Amateur Dramatic Society. Will all those who would care to join this movement kindly communicate with Postmaster, Box 79, Strathmore. If sufficient names are sent in a meeting will be called for an early date to organize and get into working order.

Buy your fencing material, chain and fence paper at C. W. Chase and save money.

Ladies—Do not forget the meeting to organize the Ladies Poultry Association to be held at the Fire Hall Saturday evening 8th at a past meeting. All ladies cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. James Healey who wintered in Calgary, returned on Saturday last route to their ranch, The Hillsides, above Serviceberry Creek. Mr. Healey is preparing for extensive seeding this spring.

Gen., but that woman has wintered well" said one of our local butchers the other day, casting a professional eye over one of our lately-arrived settlers, who to say the least of it, is not thin.

Remember you don't have to stop work to come to Strathmore for fencing or paper; just mail your order to C. W. Chase, Strathmore.

A petition for a watering-trough to be erected between the farm houses has been signed by over 50 farmers, and will be presented at the next meeting of the Board of Trade. An aged individual, question some time ago on the request of a number of the farmers, but some of our older residents too, in lettering a complaint to take any notice. This petition should convince the townships that the farmers are not easily swayed.

All obstacles are now removed to the incorporation for Strathmore, and it may receive the assent of the Lieutenant Governor any day now.

"Among the visitors this week were: J. Gandy, Baker; S. L. Larson, Newsman; P. H. Bradbury, Minneapolis; Oscar A. Evans, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland, Lauder; T. A. Hicks, Lagonda; G. H. Johnson, Sprague; G. Shanahan, Sprague; Wash; S. E. Paine, and J. L. Peterson, Mich.; Alex. Nelson, W. F. Gilkison, B.C.; and J. P. McCord, Colorado.

Mr. E. E. Zetke, wife of Mr. Zetke, of the Imperial Elevator, arrived here from Chicago yesterday, with their little boy. They will reside here permanently.

J. J. Reedy, Calais, is in town this week fitting in a gasoline lighting installation for the new White & May store, which will be opened very shortly.

Claud G. Watson, Havre, Mont., was in town this week trying to sell Montana flats.

A. S. Shaw and family arrived out from England this week.

You will lose money if you fail to consider some real estate buys when I have, let's talk it over. C. W. Chase.

Prompt attention is given to insurance and other business orders by C. W. Chase, Strathmore.

A party consisting of J. E. Hallop, C. G. Cainkin, C. E. Cainkin, and Carl Cainkin, arrived here yesterday from Colorado.

W. W. Bassett of Hudson, Mich., who owns a quarter section in the near vicinity of Strathmore, arrived in town yesterday.

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Public Park for Strathmore

BOARD OF TRADE MEETING

A special meeting of Strathmore Board of Trade was held in the Hotel Provincial Monday evening. There was a very large attendance of the business men in town. Mr. F. Skene presided.

The chairman said that they had been discussing the plan to build a park at the Fire Hall, Saturday evening 8th at a past meeting. A park for

Strathmore citizens said the subject had been discussed in town for some time past, and it was rather a curious thing that the Board of Trade and the C.P.R. had been discussing the same thing at the same time. Some little time ago Messrs. Dennis and Peterson had been in Strathmore and when walking down the main street, Mr. Peterson said that it was a pity something was not done to beautify the ground between the town and the track. The chairman said that when he had received a letter from Mr. Peterson asking him to take up the matter with the Strathmore Board of Trade, he saw what had been done with the ground between the town and the track, and the board working in cooperation, to make the piece of ground between the track and the town a park, and at least improve it in some way.

Two days after that the secretary of the Board informed him that the citizens of Strathmore, as represented by the Board, had been looking for a piece of ground for a park and had been discussing the proposed dispositions. Two days ago he (Professor) along with the members of the Board of Trade and the Town Council and Mr. Stockton, of the operation and maintenance dept. of the C.P.R. had looked over the ground. There was a low-lying piece of ground between the track and the town, and it had been filled in and made into a half moon lake by filling it with water from some of the irrigation ditches. Another piece of land towards the east end could be obtained and would make an excellent football, baseball, or lacrosse ground.

Another piece which it was proposed to turn into a park was in extent about ten acres, and was situated from the railway station to the fire hall. The level piece which it was proposed to use for a sport ground was in extent about four acres. He was going up to Calais on Tuesday morning, and would like to have some definite proposition from the Board of Trade to put in the C.P.R.

The chairman said that at present this was an unsightly place, but after a few years if they could get a park there would be a bandstand and with the lake in the centre, it would be a place of beauty, and a great advertisement of Strathmore by all the people who pass by on the trains.

The chairman said he had been talking with Professor Elton, and he had no doubt that the idea was an exceedingly good one. If he had a park there it would be an excellent attraction for the inhabitants of Strathmore, and people passing by would get the idea that we were not only a progressive town but a beautiful town.

Mr. Stockton, C.E., said he had not been able, owing to the weather, to make a report yet, but he had no doubt that the lake could be constructed.

With reference to the piece of ground proposed to be converted into a sports ground, Mr. W. W. Waddell said he had a plot he wanted to demonstrate, and Mr. C. B. H. Nelson had an engine he wanted to demonstrate, and he was very pleased to do the plowing for that part of the park that it was proposed to make a sports ground.

Mr. Nelson, C.E., said he was sure the Council would fall in heartily with the idea proposed, and would be guided largely by the Board of Trade in this matter.

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A Man's Feet



Just as much attention as any other part of his body—more so because the feet do the most real work.

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We do not sell unless they fit perfectly.

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The Parks Question

During the past few weeks the citizens, through the Board of Trade, have been in the matter of a public park for Strathmore in a manner which shows a welcome change from the lethargy thus affected by number of them that became attached to the Board of Trade. The news that the C.P.R. is going to co-operate with the town in laying out a park seems to be credit to the town shows a very generous spirit, which we would like to see more of our big corporations follow.

There is no doubt that this park, if it is to be laid out thoroughly, is going to cost the town several thousand dollars. We believe that it is well worth any expenditure that is at all reasonable. The question of the financial end of the park is up to the Board of Trade meeting on Monday and several suggestions were made as to how the work should be done. The volunteer labor is the best, but we will not go to a certain extent, but what we would propose is that the town once again incur the heavy expense of assessment. By this we mean that they can get enough money to do the job well, and all will contribute equally, the town, the corporation, the taxpayers as well as the resident citizen.

The trouble with volunteer labor is that the bulk of the work is done by teams and horses, and the rest escape nearly free. A park assessment would indeed be good, just as the park idea is. This park idea is the best that has struck Strathmore for some time, and we believe that we will soon have a park that will be a credit to the town.

C.P.R. Favorable To Parks Proposal

Following the meeting of the Board of Trade Monday evening, the delegation appointed by Professor Elliott, F. Skene and J. W. Waddell travelled up to Calgary the next morning and interviewed Mr. C. W. Peterson.

The reply received from Mr. Peterson was of the most favorable kind. Mr. Peterson said he and the C.P.R. was quite willing to co-operate with the townpeople in making a beautyspot out of what would otherwise be a desolate spot to the town. He joyfully remarked that when he took anyone to Strathmore he took them down to see the park there, and in the dark again, so that they might not observe it. The value of this piece of ground was estimated at \$10,000 divided into lots, but the C.P.R. was quite willing to give it to the town if they would look after it for a while.

The committee statement as to what should be done in the way of a lake, etc., he said, he had given Mr. Skene, head of the C.P.R. department, Strathmore, and Professor Elliott, who had the ground surveyed and make a report, and when the report was submitted largely on the nature of the report, he could assure them that the C.P.R. were as anxious as the townpeople were to get the place put into an attractive condition.

Meeting of L. I. District

On Saturday, March 25th, the Councillors of the Local Improvement District 124 met in the fire hall in Strathmore.

Present J. H. Schulz, W. G. Way, Nelson P. Rose, J. P. Laurie, and H. A. Michaelis.

1. Reading of former minutes, motion was adopted as follows:

2. Motion was made by W. G. Way and seconded by J. P. Laurie to about the District sealer, they used, and when the bill went to the Secretary's place in Strathmore.

3. It was moved by W. G. Way that every individual, including the rate to the amount of his taxes both arrears and current, and for everyone that is willing to do this, to pay a fine of \$1.00.

Followings are the Councillors for Division one, Township 12-22-25: H. B. Barcley, for Division 12-22-26: P. Laurie, for Division 12-22-27: J. H. Schulz, for Division three, Township 23-24-1: P. Laurie, for Division four, Township 24-25: W. G. Way, P. Rose; for Division five, Township 24-25-1: G. Way. All Councillors were in favor of the above.

It was further agreed upon to

purchase nine steel scrapers and three township plows. The District now has six steel scrapers and two road plows and one Grader.

It was also agreed upon for each person to engage a road foreman and to pay him \$3.00 per day for his work.

The following bills were read to Chapter Five, section 10, page 8, R. 8, Section 10, page 10, R. 8, Section 11, page 11, R. 8, Section 12, page 12, R. 8, Section 13, page 13, R. 8, Section 14, page 14, R. 8, Section 15, page 15, R. 8, Section 16, page 16, R. 8, Section 17, page 17, R. 8, Section 18, page 18, R. 8, Section 19, page 19, R. 8, Section 20, page 20, R. 8, Section 21, page 21, R. 8, Section 22, page 22, R. 8, Section 23, page 23, R. 8, Section 24, page 24, R. 8, Section 25, page 25, R. 8, Section 26, page 26, R. 8, Section 27, page 27, R. 8, Section 28, page 28, R. 8, Section 29, page 29, R. 8, Section 30, page 30, R. 8, Section 31, page 31, R. 8, Section 32, page 32, R. 8, Section 33, page 33, R. 8, Section 34, page 34, R. 8, Section 35, page 35, R. 8, Section 36, page 36, R. 8, Section 37, page 37, R. 8, Section 38, page 38, R. 8, Section 39, page 39, R. 8, Section 40, page 40, R. 8, Section 41, page 41, R. 8, Section 42, page 42, R. 8, Section 43, page 43, R. 8, Section 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The License Application

CASE ADJOURNED AFTER HEARING SOME OBJECTORS

The much talked of application for a liquor license for the new hotel on Main Street, whose application was in the hands of Peter J. Harrison, came up before the license commissioners, in the Armstrong Block, Oct. 10, on Tuesday evening.

The person from Strathmore were the applicant, also Messrs. Zerkle, Seymour, and G. H. Lloyd, Rev. J. Rannie, and Rev. Dr. Wilson.

A final decision was not given, for after hearing all of the objections, and the comments of the commissioners decided to adjourn the case for a week or ten days.

Mr. M. B. Peacock appeared for the opposition, and Mr. Tweedie for the applicant.

Mr. Peacock said he was representing a group of persons, representing a license, and grants him. He presented a petition signed by 1200+ of the residents of the town, requesting a plan showing their residence. The petitioners had not anything against Mr. Harrison personally, who was a good citizen of the town. They were seeking the town to grant a second license, that would give it a capacity of 88 rooms; that the Methodist Church was with the petitioners, and the foundation was not substantial one; the building was sinking on one side; and the foundation was a bad one.

Rev. Dr. Wilson said that Mr. Peacock had presented some objections.

Rev. Dr. Wilson said that he did not object on the ground of population and did not object on the ground of the church. There were also a number of others. They wanted a building in the list of 40 of the nearest houses favorable to the license being granted.

They also wanted a proposed school to be dropped but one within a radius of 20 yards of a building at present being used for a school. They believed the proposed school would be detrimental to the moral interests of the community.

The conclusion said they had a census before them showing a population of 528. Rev. Wilson said that a number of these people were residents of the town, and not permanent residents.

It was pointed out however, that the licensing act only requires the time of taking the census to be good.

Dr. Wilson challenged the following who appeared on the list of 40 to name the buildings as being favorable to the license. T. J. Barrett, O. F. Bremer, R. Barr, D. McCullough, Gray, Jos. Van Tighem, W. E. Cummings, G. Nelson, J. Schonauer, R. Hill, C. W. Chase, F. C. Coles, G. A. Kennedy, making a total of 13 out of the 40.

A plan was produced by Rev. Wilson, showing residents within a certain radius of the hotel.

Mr. Tweedie said that Rev. Wilson had drawn the plan. The answer was no, but he had been present when it was drawn.

Tweedie said the man who drew the plan should have been there to testify its correctness.

The Chief Commissioner said that the radius did not matter very materially, but the board had to be satisfied that 20 out of the 40 near-houses were favorable to the license.

With reference to Mr. T. J. Barrett, the first of those named to Rev. Wilson, the young swain declared that he was not one of the 40 near-houses.

Mr. Tweedie asked if Rev. Wilson had sold his plan. The answer was no, but he had been present when it was drawn.

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With reference to Mr. O. F. Bremer, Rev. Wilson testified that he was outside of the required radius of 40.

Mr. E. E. Zerkle, sworn, said he had been in Strathmore for nearly two years, though he could not say that from personal knowledge, he was quite familiar with the place. He could not say whether there were any near-houses to the new hotel than Mr. Barr's. Mr. Barr was not living in that house at the present time.

The commissioners consulted together, and stated that they would adjourn the case for a week or ten days.

An invitation is extended to parents and others interested in the school to visit the Seminary on the 1st day of October.

Town Council Meeting

What will probably be the last meeting of the present Strathmore Council will be in the Fire Hall on Wednesday, Oct. 12, prior to the Board of Trade meeting. Councilors McEwens, Waddy and McCullough were present.

The business done was not extensive.

Mr. F. H. Tucker was appointed supervisor for the town for snow removal, with instructions to see that every household cleared up his premises. If he did not comply with his command he would be liable to a fine of \$100.00, all of which the council at the householders expense.

A number of accounts were passed.

A well known Western negotiator said to the correspondent of the *Review* recently—"Canadian wheat is one thing you people up here do better than we do. You have now grades of wheat under a low tariff would come across the border and roost us if we did not market it. His statement does not make sense because we have the fertile soil and the climate to produce it."

By our advertisement columns it will be seen that Mrs. H. Kellogg is opening up a nursing and maternity home on 1st street. This service will be well received in Strathmore and district, and is undoubtedly much needed. In addition to her own services, there will be a fully qualified nurse in attendance, from the London Hospital, England.

A case was tried before Justice Lambeth on Monday in which E. Bartlein charged J. McLean, Cheddle, with demanding a fee for the recovery of an amount due. According to the evidence it appeared that Bartlein had put himself out of the scope of the law by offering a reward to the party that recovered the sum. The case was dismissed with costs against the plaintiff, Mr. Ford, Calgary, appeared for defendant.

Three more families from England arrived here on Tuesday, to take up residence on the farm of the Carruthill Colony. There are Mr. and Mrs. Halliday and son, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, with two children; Mr. and Mrs. Raymer, and one child.

A service of light will be given to the Strathmore Methodist choir in Lloyd's Hall Sunday evening, April 7th at 7:30. The public are invited.

Norwegian Lutheran Services Easter at Strathmore

School closes on Thursday, the 13th, for Easter holidays.

Mrs. S. L. ADE,
Teacher of Flauto and Violin,
IS OPEN TO RECEIVE PUPILS
Box 171, Strathmore

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FRESH AND CURED MEATS OF ALL KINDS.

FISH AND GAME IN SEASON.
HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR HIDES.

BUTTER AND EGGS BOUGHT AND SOLD.

ALL GOODS Sold at the PIONEER MARKET are of the Finest Quality and Guaranteed Fresh.

GIVE US A TRIAL. Come Once and You will come Always.

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NIFTY SUITS, OVERCOATS Raincoats ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF HATS ARRIVED

The newest in dress Negligee Shirts, Fancy Lisle and Cashmere Half Hose. The latest in neck wear, Underwear, 2 pieces or combination (for men and boys), Night Robes, Pajamas, Laundry Bags, Braces and Belts, Etc.

The very latest in Men's and Boys' Shoes and Oxfords.

THOSE WHO TOIL EARNESTLY AND WITH SUCCESS WILL BE SATISFIED ONLY WITH THE BEST OVER-HAUL THAT CAN BE MANUFACTURED.

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AMERICAN STYLE WORK CLOTHES.

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EVERYTHING THE DRESSY MAN REQUIRES

SLICKERS & RUBBER BOOTS

High cut Black and Tan Calf and White Elk Boots, Carpenters' Aprons, Painters' Overalls, Dunnage Bag, Blankets, Gauntlets and Gloves, Work Shirts, Sweaters, Etc.



OVERALLS

We have Overalls guaranteed for 30 days. A pair returned during that time from any cause whatever will be replaced free of charge. With or without bib, with belt straps in all colors.

EVERYTHING THE WORKING MAN WANTS

THOS. E. WRIGHT

Clothes Cleaned and Pressed

ANOTHER BIG CUT IN PRICES

We are Quoting you these Prices because **WE WANT YOUR TRADE**, and the more trade we have the Cheaper we can sell our Goods. Please don't think that because there is a Cut in Prices that there is also a Cut in Quality. The Quality of our Goods is equal to that found anywhere, and far Superior to most. Give your patronage and see how quickly you will corroborate our statement.

Lard

As we have before stated, we render our own LARD and guarantee it to be absolutely Pure, we are quoting you as low a price on it as possible.

3-lb Pail.....	\$.55
5-lb ".....	.90
10-lb ".....	1.80
20-lb ".....	3.60

Lard Compound

This is a good substitute for Lard for all Baking purposes. It is absolutely wholesome, being a mixture of Pure Lard and Beef Suet. Our own Rendering—

3-lb Pail.....	.45c
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10-lb ".....	1.40
20-lb ".....	2.75

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WE HAVE ON HAND:
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SEED BARLEY
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CHICKEN FEED

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Co., Ltd.
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BECAUSE

We shall deliver ice regularly to families at \$3.00 per month; for 3 deliveries 25c each. . .

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You will want ice. Is it not time you inform your husband you will want an ice box? . .

Strathmore Ice Co.'s.

WANTED—Contents for Breaking—\$350 per acre, in Strathmore and Ranch districts. Apply H. B. Sargent, Box 16, Strathmore.

STRATHMORE "STANDARD" JOB PRINTING IS NOT TO BE EXCELLED

If you are in the market to buy a buggy we have a big stock to select from.—Shawson & Goffree

W. E. Cumming has a large stock of beautiful Easter Cards.

Parties looking for office rooms should do well to call on C. W. Chase, Strathmore. If

The Strathmore teachers will attend the Convention to be held in Edmonton from the 18th to the 20th inst.

The School enrollment has increased from 78 in January to 93 in March.

Life Stock Insurance

Life Insurance

RECIPROCITY
IS now the chief topic of the enterprising Nations, but what should interest the enterprising Business Men and Farmers are some of the bargains we have to offer in Real Estate in this enterprising town and vicinity.

Hardware Store

On Main Street doing fine business. Must be sold soon, owner having interests elsewhere that require his attention. It will pay to investigate this.

Ready Made Farms

a specialty. We have several good ones close in that we consider bargains. From 80 to 160 acres each, very well improved. We are always pleased to furnish particulars.

Town Property

is going to be a good investment this Spring. Business and residential lots in all parts of the town. We have several handsome dwellings at prices that will surprise you.

INFORMATION CHEERFULLY FURNISHED

Paul J. Harrison

Fire Insurance a Specialty
FARM LOANS

\$50.00 REWARD

This will be awarded to the party giving the necessary information as to the whereabouts of our Parrot, which disappeared lately. When last seen it was on the balcony of the King Edward Hotel, informing those intending to build that

We carry the Best Stocks and give the Best Terms

of any Lumber Co. from coast to coast.

Any information regarding the above will be gladly received at our office.

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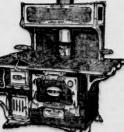
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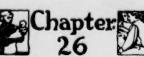


The Riverman

By STEWART
EDWARD WHITE

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AFTER SUFFERING YEARS

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Fort Creek, N.B.—"I have weak pains in the loins and a weak heart," said the patient. "I feel like I'm going to die." He had to make my food for me, and I could not work and cause soreness in my back. The Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been a great help to me. I am stronger every day, and I can walk without pain. I am encouraged by many mothers of families to take it, as it is the best in the world. You can publish this if you want." So said Newmark, however, "I'm a charter guest of the river and authorizing us to ask all, 'I'm going to try and get one of the legal men to do it.'"

He departed for Lansing and almost immediately opened and almost im-

mediately became lost in one of those fierce struggles of politics not less intense than those of the revolutionaries who were already on the ground. Newmark had the shadow of right on his side, for he was a man of energy and determination, and the river improvements already put in by him, Helmcken wanted the lumber business to be controlled by himself and sold as a public utility to the highest bidder. He offered further guarantees, and the opposition was added were other and more potent arguments preferred behind closed doors. At last, however, the matter came down to a bald question of cash. Others demanded diplomacy, job, fat contracts, and so on, but Newmark, though all out freely, tried as absolute as though stamped with the dollar mark, that he would not give up what were presented into service. Among these drastic and complicated cross roads, Newmark's secret was well known, he seemed to understand them, to play with them, to manipulate them as members of the family.

The fight endured through most of the half of the session. At the last hour, however, Newmark's secret was made known to the public. The company had its charter.

"It cost us plenty, anyway," Orde said, "but we'll take a long time to get out of debt, and the directors won't pay quite so big as we thought it would be. We're concluded, with a real little laugh."

"We will pay plenty, still enough," replied Newmark, "but we'll do it, and it gives us a vantage point to work from. You don't suppose we are going to take a hand in the lumber business?"

We want to look around for some timber of our own. There's the boat, the lumber, the sawmill, the mill, the sawyer or two or go into the carrying trade. Newmark & Orde means something to these fellows now."

Chapter 27

The course of the next eight years Newmark & Orde floated high on the stocks of the timber companies that attend a business well conducted and possibly well managed. They had a large amount of capital, money, of course, for the garners of 50 per cent or thereabouts necessitated by the fact that the improvements good years could hardly fail to bring good returns. This, it will be seen, was the secret of the company. With the profits from that business the two men embarked on a separate career.

Orde lived at ease in a new house of six size, surrounded by grounds 100 acres in extent, and the mounted team of horses drew the successor to the original buckboard. Newmark owned a sail yacht of six or six feet.

"Newmark & Orde means something to us," said Clara Taylor, as she and her wife sat together on the top step. He slipped his arms about his wife's shoulders, and the sadness that filled their lives. Two shade figures defined themselves upon the porch.

"Hello!" called Orde.

"Hello," a voice responded.

"Hello," said Orde to Carroll, with satisfaction, "just the man I wanted to see. The lawyer and I are going to talk business."

"I'll keep you posted," said Clara Taylor stopped short and considered Orde for a moment.

"I'll keep you posted," said Clara Taylor, "but seriously, Mr. Orde. My proprie^tty says they are going to talk business, and I am going to talk business in my presence I shall expire. Come, Carrol; let's wander down the street and

see Miss Stevenson."

"The two scammed away."

"Look here, Taylor," broke in Orde abruptly; "you tell me the other day you wanted to talk to two thousand dollars to place somewhere."

"Yes," replied Taylor.

"Well, I believe I have just the proposition."

"What is it?"

"California pine," replied Orde.

"California's a long way off, and there's no market for it."

"It's cheap," replied Orde succinctly.

"I don't say it will be successful, but it's a good investment. In twenty or thirty years it ought to pay big on a small investment made now."

"Laugh all you please," replied Orde.

"But I tell you Michigan and Twenty or thirty years from now there won't be any white pine for sale."

"I'm strong-er," retorted Taylor, and I can walk with a limp."

"I'm not strong-er," said Orde, "but I've encouraged many mothers of families to take it, as it is the best in the world. You can publish this if you want."

"There's no use to be. And all the other things you can publish."

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The snow has been melting as it falls and already has penetrated one or three inches into the ground.

If we will care for this moisture now that it has fallen, we are practically assured a splendid crop.

Many of our farmers have already harrowed a great deal of their fallowing, and this snow will very likely pack the surface of the ground so that the soil will not be washed away. The moisture will be very quickly evaporated out of the soil. The thing to do now will be to get the ground as dry as soon as the soil will permit of the horses and harrows getting on to the land. The harrows will leave a loose carpeting on the ground, which will practically bottle up the moisture for the grain which will be seed shortly.

The moisture when stored up in the soil will greatly aid the irrigation coming spring.

We are in saying that the farmer who goes to the trouble of harrowing his land again will be paid for his trouble ten times over.

With this moisture in the soil spring irrigation will be made very easily. Soils which less water less will go further and quicker over the land.

Of course our alfalfa, roots and turnips will require irrigation as usual.

With regard to potatoes, we are able to tell later on the spring advances whether or not irrigation will be necessary.

On the Demonstration Farm we have a small piece of fall wheat that is apparently coming on nicely. This snow is just the water we need to keep it growing up with a lot more straw or harrows simply to conserve posture for the crop later on.

One thing that makes this snow so beneficial is the fact that our winters are usually very dry and there is scarcely enough moisture for proper germination, and with the dry conditions of the soil, irrigation before the irrigation water comes at the beginning of May.

Now the word is "Harrow" as soon as we can after this snow, and we have the bumper crop.

Contributed by Brooker W. Elliott.

Oddfellows Lodge Instituted

On Tuesday evening the Strathmore Oddfellows Lodge, the result of the instituting of a local of the Independent Order of Oddfellows were present, 24 from Calgary, 12 from Lethbridge, 12 from Okotoks. These with the local members and the candidates, made a total of 44 persons.

Mr. G. H. Lloyd said it was decided to name the C.R.P.R. to do something to improve the front of the town, and he thought the town should meet them half way. A committee might be appointed to look into the matter in the town and district, and ask them to give a day's work on the project.

Mr. McElroy stated that a committee of three he appointed to confer with the C.P.R. regarding the proposed park.

The committee was appointed at a meeting of professors, Mr. F. G. MacLeod, Prof. Frank Skeene and J. W. Waddy.

Mr. G. H. Lloyd said that he had received a letter from Mr. Adams, G. S., E. C. Crabb, P.M.G. and Mr. J. W. Waddy, Mr. Little, all of Calgary, N.W.T. asking him to see if there was not another Oddfellow in Strathmore who have not yet received a letter from the Grand Master, all of Langdon, N.W.T. Grand Master, J. Ferguson, of Gleichen, were among the prominent Oddfellows.

Mr. G. H. Lloyd said that the three degrees were conferred by the Langdon and Calgary temples. It is a very impressive ceremony.

The ceremony concluded till about 3:30 p.m.

Afterwards the light supper was served and several brethren who had the initiations attended, who spoke being of the opinion that Strathmore had made as good a start as could be wished for.

For the local lodge were appointed as follows:

Warden—S. A. Faulkner; Conductor—J. W. Knight; Vice-Guardian—A. H. Johnson; Inside Guard—A. Downie; Right Signer—G. M. Macaulay; Left Signer—W. McLeod; Right Signer—V. V. Vining; Right Signer—V. G. M. S. Whistler; Right Signer—H. Wright; Left Signer—F. G. MacLeod; Right Signer—H. Stanley; Chaplain—

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The next meeting of the new lodge will be held on Tuesday evening in the Masonic Hall, and the first place of date of meeting will be decided at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr Burgeen and family of one arrived back from Portland, Oregon, where they had spent the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Burgeen's child was born while they were in Portland.

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